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News/Reminders from the League Office

Online at <https://www.hpfl.co.uk/committee-corner>

Check for new updates!

The clubs who recently asked for replacement banners - please contact the league secretary to arrange collection.

New HPFL Committee

<https://www.hpfl.co.uk/our-team>

Club Information

Clubs are kindly requested to go to the league website - www.hpfl.co.uk/information and check all their club details are complete and correct.

Any changes, additions, please email them to tomgoward21@gmail.com

Club directories can be accessed at:

<https://www.hpfl.co.uk/senior-division-clubs>

<https://www.hpfl.co.uk/division-one-clubs>

Please remember that the banners, warm up tops and match balls PROVIDED BY THE LEAGUE must be used, or prevalent in the case of the banner.

Several clubs have failed to wear the warm up tops. This is a final reminder. Clubs are reminded that a failure to comply will result in a charge of failing to comply with a league instruction.

Clubs are also reminded that league banners and white boards must be in use for all HPFL matches.

For clubs still awaiting their whiteboard, please bear with us.

Clubs awaiting prize monies, reimbursement please bear with us, whilst new banking arrangements are finalised following the issues at the AGM.

Please see this link to the new Grassroots Disciplinary Guide:

<https://www.calameo.com/esports-media/read/0012302359614a2a3565f?authid=NUEQs2vQpDRT>

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Results

Monday 10th August

SENIOR DIVISION

Crofton Saints 1 - 2 AFC Shirley

Tuesday 11th August

SENIOR DIVISION

Whitehill and Bordon 1 - 0 Liss Athletic

DIVISION 1

Nursling & Shirley 1 - 0 Lyndhurst

Stockbridge 1 - 0 Andover Town

Wednesday 12th August

SENIOR DIVISION

AFC Netley 1 - 2 Hook

DIVISION 1

BTC Southampton 1 - 3 Sporting Wessex

North Waltham 3 - 5 Twentyten

Saturday 15th August

SENIOR DIVISION

AFC Netley 2 - 2 Meon Milton

Bishops Waltham Dynamos 1 - 4 AFC Shirley

Denmead 3 - 3 Hook

Liss Athletic P - P Overton United

Moneyfields Reserves 4 - 2 Liphook United

Southsea Sports	3 - 0	Blackfield & Langley
United Services Portsmouth	3 - 1	Broughton
Whitehill and Bordon	2 - 1	Crofton Saints

DIVISION 1

Hayling United	2 - 2	Sway
Horndean United	2 - 4	BTC Southampton
Lyndhurst	1 - 0	Andover Town
Nursling & Shirley	P - P	Paulsgrove
Sporting Wessex	6 - 2	North Waltham
Stockbridge	3 - 3	Headley United
Twentyten	3 - 4	Whiteley Wanderers

Round-Up

Some more midweek games to report on:

We had a game on **Monday** this week, as Crofton Saints' game with AFC Shirley was moved from Saturday due to availability of the pitch at Crofton's groundshare at Gosport. After excellent debut seasons at this level, both teams are fancied to be up there again this season. However, so far, it's two defeats for Crofton and two wins for Shirley after their 2-1 win here, their winner coming from Yeadon.

Tuesday saw a local derby in the Senior Division, and victory for Whitehill & Bordon as they had a 1-0 home win over Liss Athletic, M.Bedford scoring the crucial goal. The Stags also won at Liphook in another local derby last week. In Division 1, Nursling & Shirley made it four wins in a row with a 1-0 home win over Lyndhurst, the goal from Lambert, and Andover Town's 100% record was ended by a 0-1 defeat at Stockbridge in the Test Valley derby, who recorded their first win, in front of a big crowd. Charles scored for the Robins – a good result for them.

Wednesday had three games; in the **Senior Division**, Hook made it three wins out of three with an excellent 2-1 win at AFC Netley. Our man from Hook was there:

"Hook were made to work hard to maintain their unbeaten start to the season. Newly promoted Netley produced the better football in the first half on a surprisingly decent Romsey pitch.

The hosts, showing pace and power, looked the most likely to break the deadlock but in truth neither keeper had too many saves to make. Higby found himself with a free run down the left flank and produced a sharp finish to put Netley one up. Hook came up with a precious equaliser just before the break when a Jack Smith long throw in was flicked on by Ben Morris and Ash Elward was on hand to head in from close range.

And it was from another Smith long throw early in the second period that found its way to Morris who lashed in from 5 yards for a 2-1 lead. That's how the score finished as both teams failed to create too many clear-cut chances with defences standing firm. For Hook, man of the match Will Edwards, was commanding at the back with many crucial

interceptions and tackles. But it was an all-round team performance by the visitors once again including tyros this time Ben Turrell and Jayden Barnett for their Hook debuts."

In **Division 1** there were more goals at North Waltham, where the home side eventually lost 3-5 to Twentyten, whose first win of the season this was. Twentyten reported they came from three down after only a few minutes, two goals from Limbu. The other match saw new boys Sporting Wessex record their first win at this level with an excellent 3-1 win at BTC Southampton. Beale, Tonner and Williams were on target for Sporting.

On **Saturday** we had a full league programme, but a couple of games were postponed. We have produced the fledgling League tables this time, but obviously some teams have played more than others, and Hedge End Town are due to play their first game on Tuesday.

In the **Senior Division**, Whitehill & Bordon made it four wins out of five with a 2-1 home win over Crofton Saints, who are the only team to have lost three out of three. Davis got both goals for the Stags. Two teams have currently won all three of the games they have played; Moneyfields Res had a 4-2 home win over Liphook United (Nash, Noakes, Newman and Amoateng their scorers) and AFC Shirley had an impressive 4-1 win at Bishops Waltham Dynamos. Shirley reported it thus:

'Three more points from another tough test at Mountbatten. A very slow first half from the Owls, where we were far from our best but still created chances. Just before the break, the only real bit of quality came from Toby Brogan, who beat two men before smashing home to give us the lead. The second half was a much-improved Owls performance. We came flying out of the blocks, with Hunt slipping in Callaway to double the lead. Twenty minutes later, Hunt rose highest to head home an Ormiston corner and make it 3-0. Bishops pulled one back, but Connor Gillies came off the bench to finish coolly across the keeper and round off another good win and get his first Owls goal!'

Hook lost their 100% record with a 3-3 draw at Denmead, whose first point this was. Our man from Hook saw it this way:

"There are no easy games in this league, in either division. The Hampshire Senior league is very competitive! Both teams were heavily depleted with non availability a virulent summer disease. Hook, early league leaders, visited early basement side Denmead and were 3-0 up in fifteen minutes thanks to a brace from Andy Roxburgh and one from Ryan Saunders. As I said, there are no easy games in this league. A Matt Hooper goal and two from Rocco Stirling ensured Denmead were level at halftime at 3-3. They even hit the frame of the goal three times. At the other end Hook had been profligate, creating myriad opportunities but failing to hit the net.

The second half followed a similar pattern the only missing ingredient being goals but either side could easily have achieved double figures.

It's funny old game.

A creditable mention to Denmead club official Andy Laver who did a good job with the whistle today. The appointed referee failed to appear but given the match fee of £50 it was no surprise given he now lives in Canada."

Southsea Sports won their third game in four, inflicting Blackfield & Langley's first defeat of the season with a clear 3-0 win. Murphy, Vickers and Hunt were their scorers, but there was better news for the other team who joined us from the Wessex, as US Portsmouth picked up their first points of the season with a 3-1 home win over Broughton. Segawa, Bilof and Collins were on target for US. Meon Milton also got off the mark with a good 2-2 draw at AFC Netley, Easen and Keeler were Meon's scorers.

Division One saw Nursling & Shirley stay at the top as the only team with a 100% record, despite their game being off. Whiteley Wanderers had an exciting 4-3 win at Twentyten, a late penalty being decisive, and they have three wins and a draw so far, but Andover Town lost their second successive match after three wins, this time 0-1 at Lyndhurst. Another new team doing well are Sporting Wessex, who notched their second successive win with a 6-2 home win over fellow new boys North Waltham, with a hat-trick for Beale. Horndean United, however, were defeated 2-4 at home by BTC Southampton. More goals at Stockbridge, who shared six of them with Headley United - an exciting game in which the visitors came back from 0-2 down to lead 3-2 and then concede a late equaliser; Pye got a hat-trick for the Robins. Hayling United and Sway fought out a 2-2 draw; Morgan-Griffith and Aldridge scored for the Bugs.

League Tables

SENIOR DIVISION

		P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	PTS
1	Whitehill & Bordon	5	4	0	1	7	5	2	12
2	Hook	4	3	1	0	16	11	5	10
3	Moneyfields Reserves	3	3	0	0	13	4	9	9
4	AFC Shirley	3	3	0	0	8	2	6	9
5	Southsea Sports	4	3	0	1	8	4	4	9
6	Blackfield & Langley	4	2	1	1	6	6	0	7
7	Liphook United	4	2	0	2	7	7	0	6
8	Liss Athletic	3	1	1	1	4	3	1	4
9	AFC Netley	4	1	1	2	6	6	0	4
10	Overton United	2	1	0	1	5	2	3	3
11	Bishops Waltham Dyn	4	1	0	3	10	14	-4	3
12	US Portsmouth	4	1	0	3	8	12	-4	3
13	Broughton	3	1	0	2	4	8	-4	3
14	Meon Milton	3	0	1	2	3	7	-4	1
15	Denmead	3	0	1	2	3	10	-7	1
16	Crofton Saints	3	0	0	3	3	6	-3	0
17	Locks Heath	2	0	0	2	2	6	-4	0

DIVISION 1

		P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	PTS
1	Nursling & Shirley	4	4	0	0	12	3	9	12
2	Whiteley Wanderers	4	3	1	0	13	5	8	10
3	Andover Town	5	3	0	2	18	2	16	9
4	Sporting Wessex	4	2	1	1	12	7	5	7
5	Lyndhurst	5	2	1	2	8	7	1	7
6	BTC Southampton	5	2	1	2	9	11	-2	7
7	Horndean United	4	1	2	1	8	9	-1	5
8	Headley United	4	1	2	1	7	8	-1	5
9	Stockbridge	5	1	2	2	6	12	-6	5
10	Sway	3	1	1	1	7	5	2	4
11	Mob Albion	3	1	1	1	6	6	0	4
12	North Waltham	5	1	1	3	12	20	-8	4
13	Hayling United	4	1	1	2	6	15	-9	4
14	Twentyten	4	1	0	3	10	12	-2	3
15	Hedge End Town	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
16	Paulsgrove	3	0	0	3	4	16	-12	0

Fixtures

For the latest news during the season, see:

- **Full Time**
- <https://www.hpfl.co.uk/fixtures>
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Details below are correct at time of going to press.

Please check on the day if you are planning to visit a match!

Wednesday 19th August

SENIOR DIVISION

Meon Milton VS US Portsmouth

Southsea Sports VS Denmead

DIVISION 1

North Waltham VS Hedge End Town

Saturday 22nd August

SENIOR DIVISION

Blackfield & Langley	VS	Moneyfields Reserves
Liphook United	VS	Hook
Liss Athletic	VS	AFC Netley
Meon Milton	VS	Locks Heath
Southsea Sports	VS	AFC Shirley
US Portsmouth	VS	Overton United
Whitehill & Bordon	VS	Broughton

DIVISION 1

Andover Town	VS	Horndean United
Hayling United	VS	Twentyten
Paulsgrove	VS	Hedge End Town
Sporting Wessex	VS	Lyndhurst
Stockbridge	VS	Mob Albion
Sway	VS	North Waltham
Whiteley Wanderers	VS	Nursling & Shirley

Monday 24th August

SENIOR DIVISION

Crofton Saints	VS	Bishops Waltham Dynamos
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Tuesday 25th August

SENIOR DIVISION

Moneyfields Reserves	VS	Liss Athletic
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Thursday 27th August

SENIOR DIVISION

US Portsmouth	VS	AFC Netley
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DIVISION 1

Mob Albion	VS	Hedge End Town
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Cup News

Up-to-date information can be found at:

- **Full Time**
- <https://www.hpfl.co.uk/cups>

uhlsport Hampshire Premier League Cup - 2026/27

Round 1 (31/08/26 - TBC)

Crofton Saints vs Blackfield and Langley

Round 2 (12/09/26)

BTC Southampton vs Mob Albion

Sway vs AFC Netley

Andover vs Denmead

Overton United vs Locks Heath

US Portsmouth vs Nursling & Shirley

Meon Milton vs Paulsgrove

Lyndhurst vs Hook

Southsea Sports vs Liss Athletic

Moneyfields Reserves vs North Waltham (22/09/26)

Liphook United vs Winner of Round 1 match

Bishop Waltham Dynamos vs Whitehill & Bordon

AFC Shirley (holders) vs Horndean United (26/09/26)

Broughton vs Headley

Hayling United vs Sporting Wessex

Stocksbridge vs Hedge End Town

TwentyTen vs Whiteley Wanderers

Clubs defeated in this round will gain automatic qualification to the George Mason Memorial Shield.

Southampton Senior Cup - 2026/27

Round 1

Bishops Waltham Dynamos v Hedge End Town

Round 2

AFC Netley v Blackfield & Langley

AFC Shirley v Stockbridge

BTC Southampton v Romsey Town

New Milton Town v BW Dynamos or Hedge End Town

Nursling & Shirley v Locks Heath

Sherfield English v Broughton

Guest Article

THE HAMPSHIRE PREMIER LEAGUE - an important step along Football's Pathway.

The Hampshire Premier League in its current guise dates back to 2007 when the Wessex League dissolved its Division Three and ran alongside the Hampshire 2004 League until that disbanded in 2013.

Now, nearly twenty years later, it is interesting to see how some of the clubs have progressed.

From the clubs involved in the initial season six have subsequently taken a step up the ladder. CLANFIELD will be playing in Sussex One next season and COLDEN COMMON will be enjoying Wessex Division One Football again this term. FLEETLANDS have reached the Wessex Premier and are also playing in the FA Cup. TEAM SOLENT have come and gone while HAMBLE CLUB are one of the strongest sides in the Premier, and finally AFC STONEHAM adopted their current name in that first season and have since won the FA Vase and moved up to Step Five football. AFC ALDERMASTON enjoyed five seasons from 2008 until moving through a variety of Leagues to the Wessex. HEDGE END RANGERS were in the HPFL from 2012 and are now enjoying their first season at the higher level while BAFFINS MILTON ROVERS joined in 2013 and now surely have aims of following Stoneham to the next step. Bush Hill became MILLBROOK and an established Wessex Premier Club but INFINITY's stay in the Wessex League was very brief though they are now settled in Sussex football.

All these clubs have been helped along the way by the application and expertise of HPFL officials and there are surely more clubs who would like to follow the same path but are thwarted by the FA's Ground Grading criteria. The League, as ever, is open to applications from the Mid Solent, Southampton, Aldershot, Isle of Wight, Basingstoke, and other local Leagues.

Long may it continue.



Action from US Portsmouth v Broughton (with thanks to US Portsmouth)



Action from BTC Southampton v Sporting Wessex (with thanks to Rob Conway again)

Match reports, photos and other articles always welcome!



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